IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Paolo ABENI) Group Art Unit: 2437
Application No.: 10/567,752)) Examiner: Jing F. Sims
Filed: February 10, 2006) Confirmation No.: 5634
For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DETECTING UNAUTHORIZED USE OF A COMMUNICATION NETWORK)))

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Applicants thank the Examiner for the Notice of Allowance mailed March 31, 2011. Without withdrawing the allowed claims from issue, Applicants submit these comments for the record.

In the Notice of Allowance, the Examiner provided a statement of reasons for allowance. Applicants agree with the Examiner's conclusion that applicants' method and system as claimed are patentable over the prior art of record. However, the reason for allowance contains statements characterizing the references and the claims and Applicants do not necessarily subscribe to the Examiner's statements characterizing the references or to the Examiner's restatement of the claimed method and system for intrusion detection as paraphrased in paragraph 3 under Allowance on page 2 of the

Detailed Action of the Notice of Allowability dated March 31, 2011, to the extent that they are inconsistent with text and drawings of the references, the text and drawings of the Applicants' application and the actual claim language recited in the amended claims of the Amendment filed by Applicants on October 10, 2010. The references and the actual claim language speak for themselves.

If there is any fee due in connection with the filing of these Comments, please charge the fee to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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